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Docket No.:	1604BPE-5	)		<b><u>AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE</u></b>
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For:	DEVICE FOR MACHINING	)		<i>Filed Electronically</i>
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Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment and Response to address the non-final Office Action having a mailing date of December 9, 2008. A request for a one-month extension of time to extend the time for response from March 9, 2009 to April 9, 2009 is being submitted herewith. Also submitted herewith via EFS-Web is payment in the amount of \$130.00 for the extension of time fee. Please credit any overpayment or charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of the claims are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.